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Table 1: Economy		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008						
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter												
Unemployed persons	no	17 599	15 807	14 731	15 429	12 622						
Unemployment rate	%	5.1	7.0	6.5	6.7	5.4						
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June												
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	37 626	45 919	-						
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	249.0	395.1	-						
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	6 592	7 733	-						
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	190 412	188 544	-						
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	8 365.7	9 579.8	-						
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	44 013	47 416	-						
Net tax	\$m	-	-	1 951.6	1 395.6	-						
Average net tax	\$	-	-	10 250	10 561	-						
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	23	22	-						
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	228 238	234 443	-						
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	8 609.7	9 975.4	-						
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	37 610	39 804	-						
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June												
Age Pension - Contributory	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Age Pension - DVA	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Careers Payment	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Disability Support Pension	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Newstart Allowance	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Widow's Payment - Single	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Youth Allowances	no	na	na	na	na	na						
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	na	na	na	na	na						
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June												
Wage and salary earners	no	180 599	184 178	188 749	194 749	-						
Wage and salary income	\$	6 781.5	7 213.8	7 563.1	8 182.2	-						
Average wage and salary income	\$	37 584	39 168	40 494	41 850	-						
Own unincorporated business earners	no	24 752	25 258	25 594	26 801	-						
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	533.4	358.8	350.9	403.7	-						
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	13 448	13 212	13 489	15 062	-						
Investment earners	no	111 459	118 141	116 655	122 473	-						
Investment income	\$m	424.5	482.9	548.7	683.2	-						
Average investment income	\$	3 845	4 158	4 703	5 416	-						
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	7 941	8 205	8 542	8 866	-						
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	135.5	149.2	164.7	186.3	-						
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	17 050	18 181	19 280	21 017	-						
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	15 119	16 070	16 870	17 276	-						
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	38.8	51.3	58.3	47.5	-						
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	2 023	1 949	2 154	2 722	-						
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	7 715.4	8 213.5	8 743.2	9 450.5	-						
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June												
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	16 185	16 621	16 851	17 802	-						
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	26 080	26 228	26 598	27 330	-						
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	24 853	24 628	24 052	23 341	-						
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	18 806	19 182	19 617	20 125	-						
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	9 868	10 541	11 131	11 577	-						
Males - 65 years and over	no	1 670	1 872	2 117	2 186	-						
Males - Total	no	96 942	99 070	101 224	104 151	-						
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	15 046	15 809	16 111	16 580	-						
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	23 625	23 871	23 994	24 589	-						
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	20 281	20 637	21 020	21 440	-						
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	16 945	17 222	17 647	18 520	-						
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	6 267	6 867	7 057	8 200	-						
Females - 65 years and over	no	524	603	625	560	-						
Females - Total	no	83 658	85 109	87 519	90 588	-						
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	31 211	32 430	32 962	34 162	-						
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	49 885	49 897	50 592	51 919	-						
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	44 654	45 265	45 987	45 981	-						
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	35 051	36 404	37 454	38 605	-						
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	16 035	17 508	18 188	19 807	-						
Persons - 65 years and over	no	2 274	2 675	3 022	2 715	-						
Persons - Total	no	180 600	184 178	188 749	194 749	-						
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June												
Managers and Administrators	no	19 523	16 297	17 142	17 389	-						
Professionals	no	39 277	31 527	33 579	39 020	-						
Associate Professionals	no	10 809	11 321	11 983	13 050	-						
Technicians and Related Workers	no	16 912	14 871	16 486	14 662	-						
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	9 319	5 238	5 273	5 207	-						
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	30 479	30 675	31 751	32 920	-						
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	15 132	15 564	14 690	15 601	-						
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	17 235	17 417	18 030	18 683	-						
Labourers and Related Workers	no	21 860	22 973	22 637	23 081	-						
Not Stated	no	18 634	17 129	16 065	17 464	-						
Total wage and salary earners	no	180 599	184 178	188 739	194 749	-						
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June												
Net worth per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-						
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	na	-	-	-	-						
Equivalent net worth	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-						
Assets per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-						
Liabilities per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-	-						
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-	-						
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS												
Number of Businesses - at 30 June												
Non-employing businesses	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Total businesses	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Business Entries - year ended 30 June												
Non-employing business entries	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Employing business entries	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Total business entries	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Business Exits - year ended 30 June												
Non-employing business exits	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Employing business exits	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Total business exits	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June												
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Mining	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Manufacturing	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Construction	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Wholesale trade	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Retail trade	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Transport and storage	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Communication services	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Finance and insurance	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Property and business services	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Education	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Health and community services	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Cultural and recreational services	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Personal and other services	no	na	na	na	na	-						
Total businesses	no	na	na	na	na	-						
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**Table 2: Population and People**

		2004	2005
<b>ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June</b>			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	13 691	13 683
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	13 652	13 491
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	13 812	13 857
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	13 868	14 054
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	16 514	16 762
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	16 437	16 773
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	17 733	17 452
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	16 961	17 200
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	16 377	16 320
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	15 070	15 302
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	13 352	13 507
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	11 663	11 931
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	8 814	9 078
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	7 347	7 451
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	6 222	6 137
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	5 055	5 039
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	3 047	3 229
Males - 85 years and over	no.	1 620	1 734
Males - Total	no.	211 235	213 000
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	13 446	13 368
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	13 071	12 910
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	13 135	13 095
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	13 353	13 496
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	15 614	15 783
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	16 137	16 003
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	18 327	18 214
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	17 182	17 330
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	16 387	16 378
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	15 230	15 507
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	13 375	13 576
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	11 392	11 957
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	8 649	8 782
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	7 871	7 938
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	7 070	6 994
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	6 268	6 291
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	4 635	4 794
Females - 85 years and over	no.	3 230	3 518
Females - Total	no.	214 372	215 934
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	27 137	27 051
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	26 723	26 401
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	26 947	26 952

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	27 221	27 550
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	32 128	32 545
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	32 574	32 776
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	36 060	35 666
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	34 143	34 530
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	32 764	32 698
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	30 300	30 809
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	26 727	27 083
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	23 055	23 888
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	17 463	17 860
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	15 218	15 389
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	13 292	13 131
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	11 323	11 330
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	7 682	8 023
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	4 850	5 252
Persons - Total	no.	425 607	428 934

#### **POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June**

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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#### **ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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#### **OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006**

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

#### **SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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#### **LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer**

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

#### **OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006**

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

#### HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

#### FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

#### INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

#### PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

#### PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

#### UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

#### ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

#### BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	5 715	5 777
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.7	1.7
Deaths	no.	2 488	2 433
Standardised death rate	rate	6.3	6.1

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2006	2007	2008
13 811	14 221	14 892
13 352	13 198	13 172
13 792	13 820	13 612
14 276	14 397	14 602
17 081	17 807	18 083
17 330	17 902	18 439
17 332	17 251	17 428
17 343	17 751	17 822
16 427	16 305	16 461
15 360	15 590	15 792
13 860	14 027	14 156
12 176	12 171	12 347
9 380	9 972	10 538
7 560	7 657	7 711
6 147	6 310	6 395
5 102	5 132	5 151
3 415	3 466	3 594
1 841	2 045	2 228
215 585	219 022	222 423
13 378	13 749	14 382
12 765	12 721	12 716
13 080	12 954	12 722
13 487	13 569	13 767
16 073	16 163	16 238
16 354	16 786	17 328
17 796	17 510	17 418
17 708	18 108	18 270
16 384	16 443	16 611
15 722	15 898	15 994
13 848	14 258	14 525
12 329	12 305	12 401
9 065	9 694	10 342
7 966	8 043	8 114
6 957	7 102	7 231
6 247	6 223	6 200
4 847	4 954	4 985
3 747	4 015	4 303
217 753	220 495	223 547
27 189	27 970	29 274
26 117	25 919	25 888
26 872	26 774	26 334

27 763	27 966	28 369
33 154	33 970	34 321
33 684	34 688	35 767
35 128	34 761	34 846
35 051	35 859	36 092
32 811	32 748	33 072
31 082	31 488	31 786
27 708	28 285	28 681
24 505	24 476	24 748
18 445	19 666	20 880
15 526	15 700	15 825
13 104	13 412	13 626
11 349	11 355	11 351
8 262	8 420	8 579
5 588	6 060	6 531
433 338	439 517	445 970

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1.8	-	-
4.2	-	-
13.8	-	-
2.3	-	-
9.5	-	-
1.7	-	-
2.6	-	-
1.3	-	-
1.1	-	-
38.5	-	-

43.4	-	-
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2.4	-	-
1.6	-	-
11.8	-	-
6.3	-	-
13.2	-	-
13.5	-	-
48.8	-	-

10.5	-	-
19.1	-	-
13.6	-	-
8.1	-	-
16.5	-	-
9.8	-	-



8.9	-	-
11.0	-	-
2.5	-	-
34 777	-	-
5 881	-	-
106 372	-	-
147 031	-	-
40 432	-	-
11 910	-	-
34 501	-	-
12 501	-	-
7 265	-	-
2 564	-	-
109 174	-	-
333 606	-	-
44 075	-	-
237 263	-	-
102 715	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
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0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
13.2	-	-
20.1	-	-
6.9	-	-
0.7	-	-
11.2	-	-
39.9	-	-
18.2	-	-
0.7	-	-
58.7	-	-
5 782	6 516	6 637

1.7	1.8	1.8
2 563	2 642	2 668
5.9	5.9	5.9



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**Table 3: Industry**

		2004	2005
<b>BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June</b>			
Private sector houses	no.	1 619	1 601
Total dwelling units	no.	2 723	2 763
Value of private sector houses	\$m	315.7	304.7
Value of new residential building	\$m	477.5	450.9
Value of total residential building	\$m	598.1	561.9
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	348.3	411.9
Value of total building	\$m	946.4	973.8
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	195.1	190.3
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March</b>			
<b>Number by type of vehicle</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	226 866	230 747
Campervans	no.	1 387	1 540
Light commercial vehicles	no.	24 093	24 706
Light rigid trucks	no.	1 281	1 262
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	4 012	4 036
Articulated trucks	no.	1 481	1 495
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	201	231
Buses	no.	1 019	995
Motorcycles	no.	5 790	6 031
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	266 133	271 043
<b>Rate per 1,000 population</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	533	538
Campervans	no.	3	4
Light commercial vehicles	no.	57	58
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	9	9
Articulated trucks	no.	3	3
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	1
Buses	no.	2	2
Motorcycles	no.	14	14
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	625	632
<b>Age of vehicle</b>			
Less than 5 years old	no.	64 792	67 069
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	70 355	72 949
10 years or older	no.	130 949	130 990
<b>Number by type of fuel</b>			
Petrol	no.	240 535	245 190

Diesel	no.	13 173	14 000
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	12 425	11 854

**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION \* - year ended 30 June**

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

**AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES \* - year ended 30 June**

**Total area**

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

**Total number**

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

\* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
1 370	1 402	1 836
2 068	2 384	2 954
287.9	307.8	411.5
389.3	477.5	591.6
487.6	595.6	715.4
510.2	553.7	628.3
997.7	1 149.4	1 343.7
210.1	219.6	224.1
236 703	239 195	246 229
1 626	1 668	1 919
25 476	25 738	27 044
1 281	1 318	1 504
4 279	4 293	4 583
1 586	1 577	1 741
226	228	213
1 171	1 095	1 172
6 312	6 826	7 736
278 660	281 940	292 138
546	544	552
4	4	4
59	59	61
3	3	3
10	10	10
4	4	4
1	1	0
3	2	3
15	16	17
643	641	655
69 081	69 453	73 977
77 491	78 687	80 591
132 066	133 782	137 551
251 241	252 891	259 140

15 562	16 652	19 273
11 857	12 395	13 727

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		2004	2005
<b>LAND AREA</b>			
Land area	km2	-	-
<b>WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS</b>			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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